GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Health Medical & Family Welfare Department – Allegations of outraging of modesty of a mentally challenged woman in Government General Hospital, Vijayawada on 20-04-2022 – Failure of the security - Departmental Proceedings initiated against Dr.A.Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada under rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules 1991 - Article of Charges framed - Explanation Submitted – Reappointment of Inquiry Officer - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (VC.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O Rt.No.570 **Dated:11.07.2023.**

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.329, HM&FW(VC.I) Dept, dated: 26-04-2022.
2. From the DME, A.P., Vijayawada e-file Computer No. 1704511 Dated: 05-07-2022 along with the Written Statement of Defence of Dr. A. Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada, dt:23-05-2022.
3. G.O.Rt.No.637, HM&FW (VC.I) Dept, dated: 03-08-2022.
4. Govt. Memo.1704585/VC.I/2023, HM&FW(VC.I) Dept.,Dt:19-04-2023.
5. From the DME, A.P., Vijayawada e-file Computer No. 1810752, dt: 18-05-2023.

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ORDER:-

In the G.O. 1st read above, orders have been issued to hold inquiry against Dr.A.Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and accordingly, Article of charges were framed against him.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director of Medical Education, AP, Vijayawada has forwarded the Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officer Dr.A.Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada wherein he has denied the Article of charges framed against him.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, Government have appointed Dr C.Padmavathi Devi, Principal, Government Medical College, Guntur as Inquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against Dr.A.Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

4. In the reference 5th read above, the DME, AP, Vijayawada has informed that Dr C.Padmavathi Devi, Principal, Government Medical College, Guntur retired from Service and submitted a proposal to appoint Dr Prasada Rao, Additional Director/Superintendent, GGH, Nandyal as Inquiry Officer in place of Dr C.Padmavathi Devi, Principal, Government Medical College, Guntur.

5. Government after careful examination, hereby appoint Dr Prasada Rao, Addl. Director/Superintendent, GGH, Nandyal as Inquiry Officer to inquire on the charges framed against Dr.A.Hanumantha Rao, CSRMO, Government General Hospital, Vijayawada under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

6. The Inquiry Officer shall conduct Inquiry as per the provisions under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and complete the Inquiry within (30) days and submit his report to the Government.

7. The Director of Medical Education, AP, Vijayawada is requested to arrange the necessary records to the Inquiry Officer to conduct the Inquiry.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M T KRISHNA BABU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr Prasada Rao, Addl Director/Superintendent, GGH, Nandyal

(PTO)

through the Director of Medical Education, AP, Vijayawada.
The Director of Medical Education, AP, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The OSD to Minister (HFW&ME)
The PS to the Special Chief Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER